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For : GENERATING A SCAN PATTERN OVER MULTIPLE SURFACES OF SYMBOL BEARING OBJECTS PASSING THROUGH FLAT BED READER

New York, New York
October 19, 2005

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 19, 2005, reconsideration of the outstanding rejection is respectfully requested in view of the remarks beginning on page 2 of this Response.